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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECTS: NEW INTERNATIONAL AIRPORTS AT
QUITO AND GUAYAQUIL

REF: QUITO 2691

1. ON APRIL 27 E/C COUNSELOR MET WITH FRED FERNAINY, ONE OF THE TWO ICAO ADVISORS WHO HAVE BEEN IN QUITO DURING THE PAST WEEK TO ADVISE THE DAC ON PREPARATION OF BID DOCUMENTS FOR THE SUBJECT PROJECTS. (FERNAINY IS A U.S. CITIZEN CURRENTLY ON LOAN FROM THE FAA TO SERVE AS ICAO ADVISOR ON THE PROJECT IN LIMA FOR DEVELOPMENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT THERE; HE WAS ASKED BY THE ICAO TO JOIN BERTEL HELLMAN TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE THE DAC HAD REQUESTED IN QUITO.)

2. FERNAINY SAID THE DAC STILL HAS NOT DECIDED WHETHER OR NOT TO AWARD THE CONTRACT FOR THE TWO NEW AIRPORTS IN ECUADOR ON A TURN-KEY BASIS. HE BELIEVES THE DAC WILL DECIDE TO ISSUE INITIALLY A CONTRACT COVERING: DESIGN OF THE NEW AIRPORTS; PLANNING OF THE SUBSEQUENT STAGES AND SUBSTAGES OF THE WORKS AT BOTH SITES; RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE DAC RE SOURCES AND METHODS OF FINANCING; AND
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SUPERVISION OF THE EVENTUAL CONSTRUCTION WORKS. IF THE INITIAL CONTRACT IS ON THAT BASIS, A SUBSEQUENT CONTRACT WOULD BE AWARDED FOR THE EXECUTION OF THE CONSTRUCTION WORKS.

3. FERNAINY SAID THAT ANY U.S. OR OTHER FOREIGN FIRMS INTERESTED IN BIDDING FOR THESE WORKS SHOULD NOW BE

ARRANGING, IF THEY HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO, AN ASSOCIATION WITH LOCAL ECUADOREAN FIRMS. SUCH ASSOCIATION WILL BE REQUIRED BY THE DAC. A FOREIGN FIRM THAT ALREADY HAS A WORKING ARRANGEMENT WITH A LOCAL FIRM WILL BE "A LEG UP" AT THE TIME THE DAC ISSUES THE BID INVITATION.

4. FERNAINY SAID HE BELIEVES THE BID INVITATION WILL BE TRANSMITTED BY THE DAC TO THE LOCAL EMBASSIES BY MAY 13 AND POSSIBLE EVEN DURING THE FIRST WEEK OF MAY.
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